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Events of Interest From Washington

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SOMETHING BETTER THAN A JOB

Divested of sentiment "Secretary Lane's plan" is the most constructive suggestion for the common good that has come out of the war. Secretary Lane does not propose to give soldiers anything at all, except a chance to cooperate with the Government in helping themselves, and the country as well. For a generation the drift has been from the farm to the city. The industrial centers have been overcrowded and there has been a great deal of unemployment, with attendant strikes and discontent. At the same time the agricultural lands have been underdeveloped, and production has been lagging. The logical demand for a "back to the farm" movement has never succeeded. All the time the young men and women have been leaving the farms to take up life in industrial occupations in the cities.

Mr. Lane has seized the opportunity that would have escaped a Secretary of the Interior with less vision. At what appears to be the "psychological moment" he has caught 4,000,000 Americans in a state of transition in their material affairs, and he has put a plain and interesting suggestion squarely up to them. Stripped of all frills it is a proposition to enter into a big development scheme with Uncle Sam. The United States must have this development of its lands, and in order to obtain it Mr. Lane proposes that the soldiers shall themselves share in the fruits of the plan.

After the Civil War great areas of government land were opened to homestead entry, and the "back to the farm" idea was given a boom. Then, as now, millions of people were thinking seriously of homes, and the future, and the Government gave them their chance. They did what their forefathers had done after the Revolution when the sons of the pioneers sought new lands in order that they might repeat their fathers' successes.

But, we are told, all the good land has been taken. Secretary Lane proves that this is not true, and he has had the country divided into three zones, East, West and South. In the South there are large bodies of swamp and overgrown lands. In the East some of the States propose to buy the land, regaining among other things the "abandoned farms." In the West there is the great Colorado Basin and millions of acres that can be reclaimed to fertility at very little effort. An attractive "on time" basis is offered settlers, and they can have forty-four years to pay for their land, and in getting their start the homesteaders will be given work by the Government.

THE REASONS FARMERS LEAVE HOME

"Isolation" from the joys and beauties of the world have been destroying the morals and crushing out the charms of farm life. It has gotten so that the very people who want isolation are the very people who occasionally like a quiet forsaken spot where humanity is not so thickly congregated. And so Mr. Lane's plan provides for benefits that have been worked out in other parts of the world; for community settlements of not less than 100 farm houses, surrounding a town—the kind of a town that the moving pictures, the "shows," lectures, etc., will seek out, and close communication with the outer world through good mail service, telephone, good roads, and all that sort of thing.

There are towns in the Shenandoah Valley today, populated by prosperous people, whose business is farming or ranching. They reverse the processes of the suburbanite who goes to town in the morning, since they hitch up their farms and automobiles and go to their farms in a half hour after breakfast, and return to their homes in town at night. In these localities there are no farmers who leave home, because they are not isolated. The Lane plan contemplates giving to the new farmers opportunities to create such conditions as these, which are found in Wisconsin, Virginia—and which are likewise common enough in the rich agricultural sections of the country, particularly in the Mississippi River Valley and in the far west.

CONQUEST WORTHY OF DEMOCRACY

That there is a real man with a real purpose in charge of the Interior Department, cannot be doubted. That he knows what he is about is very apparent. That he knows how to tell his story is evidenced by sentences like the following: "There is no surer insurance for the Nation than to put its men upon the soil, and there can be no wiser investment that a nation can make than to add to its territory by taking from desert and waters and desolation, land that is now useless. Nations make war on each other that they may have new lands—lands in tropical Africa, in remote Asia. And here, under our own flag, we have land as rich as the Valley of the Nile, not ours yet, for it does not serve us, which we can conquer with a little thought and the lending of a little money. This is conquest worthy of a democracy."

GRANGE NEWS

PARIS GRANGE

Paris Grange was called to order Saturday, July 13, by Worthy Master W. C. Thayer at 8 p. m. There was a rather small attendance. After the regular Grange work the doors were opened for an illustrated lecture on "Tuberculosis," but few came in to hear it. Aug. 15, Paris Grange will furnish a banquet for the South Paris Alumni. Next meeting will be Aug. 2 at 1 p. m.

W. E. C. PIONIC

A most delightful time was enjoyed at Songo Pond on July 15 by fifteen members of Brown Corps. The picnic dinner was eaten in the grove near the pond, and delicious ice cream was served by Mrs. Carl Upton.

After lunch the afternoon was spent in strolling around, borrowing and fishing.

At about five o'clock all departed for home amidst a sprinkling of rain, but with right good cheer and wishes for another picnic in the near future.

Following: Here is what Franklin K. Lane says:

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THE SAME OLD BOYS

A lot of people have been exploiting the theory that young men of the country who have spent from six months to a year and a half in the army and navy, and whose physical and mental, and moral and intellectual faculties have been revolutionized in order to make things to their liking, that the United States needs to be turned over—if not upside down! But fighting agencies, and where a fire was the gathering in of facts show that the nation has been broadened and strengthened by strenuous experiences in camp, and in travel, that the boys are just about the same kind of boys that they were before the fateful sixth of April, 1917. The outstanding feature of the change, according to Colonel Arthur Woods, Assistant to the Secretary of War, in discussing post-war returning soldiers and sailors is probably the best thing about them. Colonel Woods says that tests applied to ascertain the mental and psychological condition of the former soldiers prove interesting. Among six hundred soldiers and sailors who returned to industrial callings it was found that 64 per cent of them increased in efficiency, that 32 per cent of them were the same, and four per cent went backwards. Apparently there has been widespread apprehension concerning the attitude of mind of soldiers who have just returned home. Colonel Woods throws light upon this. He says: "Men are not likely to come through such soul-searching experiences as this without having some sort of lasting effects upon them. This effect seems to take the form, along the lines of, causing them to assert their individuality again, upon discharge. They certainly don't want to go to work right again right off the old civil job—a good many of them; I didn't know I was discharged. The fact that these men 'have their own ideas about things' appears, according to Colonel Woods, to tend toward the general uplift."

From another source, the United States Employment Service, the information is obtained that "probably more than three quarters of the discharged men go straight home and promptly into jobs."

Hundreds of thousands of discharged soldiers men have been returning to civil life within the past few weeks, but the activities of the country have absorbed them, and the number of unemployed has not increased, and has remained nearly stationary. A reason for this is found in the fact that there are 2,000 agencies in the country, including Government departments, merchants associations and municipal bodies, the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus and the War Camp Community service, that have constituted themselves employment agencies, and in their work they have cooperated with and had the support of millions of loyal and interested citizens.

COMMUNITY

CHAUTAUQUA

The Bethel Chautauqua opened very successfully Tuesday afternoon with a good crowd in attendance.

The big tent was raised on the Dormitory grounds on Monday and the place seems an ideal location.

Miss Erickpatrick has been busy with the children forenoon and afternoon but unfortunately the rain spoiled the parade of Monday night, however, we have been promised it the last of the week.

The concert on Tuesday afternoon and evening was one of the best that has been heard in Bethel for many years. Miss Sheehan's readings were remarkable and held her audience spellbound as she carried them through the sinking of the Titanic and the arrival of the Marines at Chateau Thierry. She was ably assisted by Miss McPhoe as soloist and Miss Des-Jardins as violinist both of them artists of rare ability. The lecture in the evening by F. E. Tillmon-Thomson on the Echoes of the German Revolution was both interesting and instructive.

The other days are said to be as entertaining as was the first day and certainly the program looks very attractive.

POOR CHIMNEYS CAUSE MANY RURAL FIRES

Care Needed in Building New Homes

A summary of the various causes of fire, as given by State fire marshals of different States, shows that fire attributable to chimneys annually amount to from 10 to 25 per cent of the total number, while in winter the percentage has reached as high as 50. This is significant when it is realized that most of these fires result from carelessness and could be avoided by proper attention.

In cities and towns with proper fire protection many fires are arrested without serious loss. It is evident, say specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture, that in rural districts, where there are no organized fire fighting agencies, and where a fire usually results in a total loss, builders should give more attention to making the construction of all new chimneys as nearly fire-proof as possible.

With the establishment of peace, home building, which during the war was practically at a standstill, probably will receive a considerable stimulus. With the increased volume of work, and the fact that carelessness is bound to creep in should not be forgotten. This should be especially guarded against in fire hazards in chimney construction.

Danger in Many Chimneys

It is well known that the ordinary brick-and-mortar chimney as usually constructed is a source of danger. The constant heat from fire in the stove or the furnace, or the fire in the chimney, causes the mortar to become dry, so that it falls out of place, leaving holes in the chimney. Such a condition usually goes unnoticed and is a constant source of danger from fire.

In constructing chimneys in buildings made of combustible material, the chimney should be built straight up from the ground and not placed on a bracket, as is often the case, and should extend 2 feet or more above the peak when the chimney is in the center of the roof, and 3 feet or more above the surface when on a flat or slanting roof. For proper draft, the minimum sized opening for the flue should not be less than 16 square inches, while the walls should be at least 8 inches thick. At the base of each flue a clean out door should be provided, if possible. Whatever the material used in construction, it should be of good quality and laid in cement.

Flue holes should never be filled with any inflammable material, but should be covered over in a secure manner with a metal flue stop.

The joints used to support the floors through which the chimney passes should not have their ends supported in the brick, as the chimney may settle, leaving at these points cracks through which fire may creep to the joists; furthermore, no other woodwork should come in contact with the chimney.

Good Flue Linings Needed

To obviate the fire hazard in brick chimneys it is suggested that some good flue lining be used in their construction. This lining may be either fire clay or terra-cotta tile, and no difficulty will be experienced in its use. If fire clay is used instead of terra-cotta tile, the results will be similar if the size of the flue is not thereby cut down. The lining serves as a fire preservative, and in the case of terra-cotta tile gives a line of uniform dimensions. The ordinary brick chimney will not do this.

With today's fire presents a smooth

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

METHODIST CHURCH

Morning worship at 10:45; sermon by the District Supt., Rev. D. B. Holt, of Auburn. Sunday School at 12:00.

Evening service at 7:00; sermon by Rev. D. B. Holt. Quarterly conference following.

LOCKE'S MILL CHURCH

Sunday School at 1:30; preaching service at 2:30; sermon by Rev. D. B. Holt, District Supt., followed by Quarterly Conference.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

An out of State speaker for the Filgrim Memorial Fund Drive will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning at 10:45. The Drive in Maine began in Washington County the first of this month and will finish up with Oxford County the coming week. Bethel's quota already has a good start. Sunday school at 12:00. Christian services in the evening at 7.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Next Sunday we hold the last services previous to the vacation, and the church will be closed until September.

Morning service at 10:45. Sunday School at 12:00.

In the evening a special service by the Young People's Christian Union at 7. Let us have a full attendance of all members and friends.

Next week, Wednesday, July 30, the Ladies' Circle will invite everybody to the chapel and banquet room for a social gathering of pleasure and a trust profit to all.

Next week will also be the opening of the Universalist Young People's Convention at Ferry Beach Park, followed by the General Sunday School Convention and the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Association of the Universalist Churches. We hope all will attend who can.

WEDDING RECEPTION

One of the prettiest and most thoroughly enjoyed social events of the season was the reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Ray York on the evening of July 18 at the Grange Hall, Bethel.

Many relatives and friends gathered to congratulate and wish the bride and groom much happiness during a long and prosperous wedded life.

As Mrs. York gave her hand with graceful cordiality to each guest in turn, all were convinced that no sweeter or more perfect bride could be found. The rosy blush in her dark hair held no fainter blush than did her cheeks.

Very beautiful was her dress of ivory, united satin and georgette; elegant in its perfect simplicity, while an additional charm seemed given the young wife when it became known that it was her mother's wedding gown twenty-one years ago. Mr. and Mrs. York exerted themselves to make pleasant every moment and the fine music, the dancing and, above all else, the spirit of friendliness which prevailed will be remembered with pleasure by all. It is hoped that "Ray" and "Yvonne" will remain in Bethel.

But wherever their feet shall stray Along this good world's rough highway; Love and good wishes from old friends true Shall follow them always, life's journey through.

They received many beautiful presents, cut glass, silver, linen, etc., also money was seen on the "gift table." Refreshments of ice cream and fancy cookies were served. Shaw and Truett orchestra furnished music throughout the evening. At midnight the merry company bade the young host and hostess good night with hearty thanks for a very happy evening.

surface, which leaves no place for soot to gather, thus eliminating to a great extent the possibility of chimney fires. The cost of such a lining for an ordinary two-story residence would be nominal, and the lining should prove a cheap and effective means of fire protection.

It is possible to use fire brick in place of the fire clay or terra-cotta tile, with the same result, but at greater cost. Fire brick are almost universally used in the construction of fireplaces for lining the fireback, sides, throat, and walls of the ash pit.

Where the home is already equipped with the ordinary unlined brick chimney a close inspection should be given at short intervals to insure safety. If any cracks or cracks appear, they should be immediately repaired. They would also be well occasionally to clean the chimney, thus removing soot. This may be done with a wire or rope to which is fastened any object suitable for the purpose. A quarter-inch rope and a pair of old automobile tire chains used for this purpose did the work satisfactorily.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE

BETHEL INN

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Goodman and family of Philadelphia were at the Elms over night the 22nd.

On July 20th Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Penfield of Wilmington, Del., had rooms at the Willow.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris and John M. Harris of Cleveland were at the Inn the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hubbard and daughter of Minneapolis, Minn., were at the Inn the past week.

Miss J. W. Latimer and Miss N. H. Brisbane of Brooklyn, N. Y. have rooms at Bethel Inn for the summer.

Mr. P. D. Borden and wife, Mr. C. G. Tessier and Mrs. E. R. Adams of Fall River have been at the Inn for a few days rest.

Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Carter, Somersworth, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Rieker of Berwick, Me., were overnight guests at the Inn the 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Horace Klein of Harriman, Pa., were guests at the Inn on the 18th.

Mrs. E. P. Haldeman of Toledo, Ohio, Mr. H. T. Blodget of New York, Miss Thompson and Mrs. Parsons of Pottsville, Pa., spent the night at the Inn the 22nd.

Mr. H. J. Cooper, Miss Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Joy Love of Aurora, Ill., spent the night at Bethel Inn the 20th. Mr. Cooper is in the banking business at Aurora.

Mrs. R. I. Gammell, maid and chauffeur and Miss Fraser are at the Inn for the summer. They have most comfortable rooms in the Elms Cottage. Mrs. Gammell's home is in Providence, R. I.

Chas. S. Davis and party of six were at the Inn on the 16th and again on the 19th, occupying rooms in the Willow. Mr. Davis is interested in the mills at Lebanon, N. H., also at Dexter, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen McLane and family were guests at the Inn the past week. They have motored from their home in Garrison, Maryland, and are now touring through northern Maine and New Hampshire.

Mr. Geo. A. Ballard, George Ballard, and Mrs. McGrady of Fall River were overnight guests at the Inn on the 19th. Mr. Ballard is over eighty but enjoyed the trip and hospitality of the Inn as much as any of the guests and is looking forward to a return trip next year.

Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan, maid and chauffeur, and Miss Blyth of New York were at the Inn the 16th on their way to Bar Harbor. Mrs. Morgan stops at the Inn each season when going to her summer home and was particularly pleased with accommodations given her this season.

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Each word more than 25; One week, 1 cent and each additional week, 1/2 cent.

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FOR SALE

A young horse, weight 1500 pounds, color black, a good worker. Inquire of C. W. HALL, Bethel, Maine.

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F. C. HOLT, Bethel, Maine.

BERRY PICKERS WANTED

About twenty more girls and women will be needed to take care of my raspberry crop this season.

I can use a few boys if they will do good work.

The prices will be 3 cents per pint basket, half a cent more than was paid last year. Each picker will be required to look each row over thoroughly after picking it to get any berries that may have been missed the first time.

Miss Alice Cross, one of the teachers in the village school, will have charge of the pickers in the field and will board with us. Berries will be ready about July 23rd. Board furnished at a low rate.

H. F. MAXIM, Locke's Mill, Maine.

FOR SALE

A few more of these good Durham cows and heifers are now ready for sale. Some are fresh and others are dry.

ALTON F. BARNETT, No. Bethel, Maine.

FOR SALE

Several new milk cows. Inquire of H. M. KENDALL, North Bethel, Maine.

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NORWAY

The Maine Club accepted the invitation to spend Saturday afternoon and evening at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stone on the shore of Danvers River, Danvers, Mass. A supper was served after which a trip up the river was made in a motor boat. The greatest attraction was the airplane owned and piloted by Mrs. D. P. Getchell, and operated by Ernest Cole, George Hays, Mrs. Getchell and Mrs. Alice Hays. The outing was under the auspices of Mrs. B. P. Harrington, D. P. Getchell and Mrs. Arthur Clough. Plans are being made for another outing soon. This same airplane will be at the Norway Grange Hall in the near future, at the meeting, the date to be announced later. All who wish a ride will be on hand.

The Norway Grange will hold an evening session Saturday of this week. The topic for discussion will be, "Is the World Growing Better or Worse?"

At the Universalist church Sunday afternoon, special music was furnished by Miss Alice Hays, and Floyd Hays, soprano and tenor, and Miss Mari on Haskell, violin. The pastor, Rev. Chester G. Miller, delivered an impressive sermon. The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlow B. Adkins, Harlow, Jr., of Fitchburg, Mass., formerly of Norway, was christened.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon for Horace G. Dinsmore, from the home on Cricket Ridge. Rev. Chester G. Miller, pastor of the First Universalist church officiated. There was an abundance of flowers. The services were largely attended, many relatives and friends coming from out of town. The bearers were the two sons, Reginald and Hollis, Samuel Colwell and William P. Young. Interment in Pine Grove Cemetery.

A large elm tree in front of the Universalist church was cut down the past week by Homer Truman and crew. The tree was one of the old land marks, but had become unsafe with age and it was necessary to have it removed.

George Smith, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Water street, was quite badly burned Sunday morning. The child awoke before the rest of the family and went down stairs, and took some matches off the mantle, evidently with the intention of starting the fire, but his night clothes caught the flame. His screams brought his mother to his assistance, and she found him making an attempt to remove his clothing, but the hands were burned, and his chest and neck received a severe scorching. Medical aid was summoned and the child is resting as comfortably as possible.

Mrs. Gertrude Merrill, trained nurse, who had a room at Miss Della Noyes' for some time, has returned to her home in Hartford.

Mrs. Harlow B. Adkins and two children, Clara and Harlow Jr., are guests of her father and mother, Otto Adkins, and Miss Clara Adkins, in Hartford.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank French of West Bethel, Mass., are guests of his mother, Mrs. H. B. French, in Bethel.

Mrs. Jeanne B. Baker is spending the week at Waterford, with her sister, Mrs. Margaret A. Baker, at that place.

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Mrs. Isabel Doten.

Mrs. Fred Stone returned from Portland, Sunday.

A popular dance was given at the Opera House, Friday evening under the auspices of Victor Whitman and Arthur Bartlett. Music was furnished by "The Rhythmic Jazz Orchestra," composed of Miss Marion Haskell, 1st violin, Prof. Verne M. Whitman, 2nd violin, Win Kimball, clarinet, Arthur Bartlett, mandolin, Victor Freeman, drums and traps, and Miss Ruth Ahrens, piano.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen O. Jolleran, who have been occupying rooms at Mrs. Elizabeth Sweet's since their marriage the first of June, moved to their new apartments in the Back Block, Saturday.

Mrs. G. Fred Stone, who has been at the private hospital on Spring street, Portland, where she underwent surgery July 1, was discharged from the hospital, Wednesday, and has been at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Sanborn for a few days convalescing before her return home.

Mrs. Jackson Clark, who has been ill at her home, is able to be about the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamlin of Harrison have been the guests this week of Mrs. Hamlin's sister, Mrs. James Cleveland.

Mrs. Eugene Andrews, Cottage street, is spending several weeks with her daughter and young son, Mrs. Philip Wright, at Bath.

Mrs. Mildred Bennett has been visiting in Greenwood, the guest of Arthur Sawyer and family.

Mrs. Jacob Marr is in North Waterford for several days. Before her return she will visit in South Waterford and Fryeburg.

Mrs. Henry Houghton of Portland, who is spending the month of July and August at Maple Inn, Bethel, was a guest for the day Friday of Mrs. Cyrena K. Parker, Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Swan, who recently sold their farm at Norway Lake in Frye Brook, have bought the new house on Paris street, and will take possession this week.

MARSHALL DISTRICT

Mrs. Leola Fernald visited at Mr. Preston Flint's last Thursday.

Mrs. Lizzie Wilson returned home Sunday from Locke's Mills, where she has been spending several weeks. Mrs. Leon Fickett, wife of Mr. Fickett, and son, Richard, of Hartford, Conn., came Saturday to spend a few weeks at her old home.

Miss Irene Briggs went to Bethel, Thursday, on business.

Let Van do your canning.

GROVER HILL

Mrs. Robert York and two daughters from Bethel Hill were guests at A. H. Grover's one day last week.

Mr. Herman Mason and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lyon and daughter, Katherine, were guests at Harry Lyman's, Sunday.

Mrs. Lillian V. Whitman and daughter, Rosalie, from Boston arrived Saturday, making the trip by automobile. Mr. and Mrs. Chandler Whitman and son, Robert, from Norway spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Teller were at Bethel, Sunday.

Get Van to do your canning.

THE PINE WEEVIL

A Great Menace to Maine Forests

During the past few years several different entomologists, each a specialist of note in his own chosen field, have been associated with the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station during the summer months for the purpose of working up certain groups of economic insects.

This season Doctor M. W. Blackman, Forest Entomologist, New York State College of Forestry at Syracuse is with us, in cooperation with the State Department of Forestry, studying Maine conditions with reference to insect forest pests. Following is his account of one of the greatest menaces to the pine forests of Maine. A later letter will discuss its control.

The white pine is the most valuable and popular of our native forest trees, not only on account of its majestic beauty but also because of the rapidity of its growth and its great timber value. In the past it has been the tree most often chosen in making plantations where a moderately quick return on the investment was desired. Yet because of two very serious enemies—the pine blister rust and the pine weevil—the wisdom of making plantations of this beautiful and desirable tree in this region of the country is open to very serious question. At the present time more frequent mention of the former of these two evils is heard by those interested in the preservation of our forests than of the pine weevil. This is largely to a well organized propaganda based upon a real menace to the white pine and its kindred species, and should in no degree be discouraged or tampered. At the same time it is doubtful if the blister rust is as important an enemy to the production of white pine timber as is the pine weevil.

The distribution of the white pine weevil in the State is identical with that of its favorite host. Everywhere the pine occurs in plantations or in open stands this destructive insect is to be found, and its work of destruction is not confined to the white pine but it also attacks several species of spruce and occasionally pitch pine and jack pine. It is often especially injurious to Norway spruce and to a less extent to red spruce when these occur in plantations or in open stands.

The white pine weevil is an insect native to this country. The adult is a small brown beetle about one fourth of an inch long with grey or white markings but differs from the ordinary beetle in the possession of a stout comprising about one fourth of its body length. These beetles lay their eggs in the previous years growth of the terminal shoots of the tree during the early spring in April or May. The eggs are placed in small excavations made through the bark of the pine leader by the mouth parts of the female. The hatch in 8 or 10 days giving rise to small yellowish white grubs which immediately begin to feed voraciously upon the inner living portion of the bark. As they grow, these larvae work downward eating the entire inner bark as they proceed and as they become larger destroying more and more of the living wood. Just before they complete their full growth, late in June or early in July, the grubs burrow into the wood near the base of the terminal and there construct small oval chambers covered with a deposit of chewed up particles of wood known as "chip cocoons." In these cocoons the larvae transform into pupae and later these give rise to a new generation of adults which emerge during July and later. These last over the winter and attack new leaders the following season. The effect of the activities of the larvae in the living leaders of the pine is not at once apparent, but in a few weeks—usually by the middle of June—the new growth is greatly reduced and even when the new growth does appear, it is of a stunted, feeble character. The terminal shoot dark to the point where it is cut off by the point of attack or even further to the point where the vitality of the tree into the next lateral shoot below the injured and then ceases to develop, resulting in the production of a tree with a forked or branched top known by woods men as a "winged pine." This usually entirely destroys the commercial value of the tree and at the same time ruins its symmetry and beauty. Very often the new leaders are in turn attacked, which results in the production of a stunted, bushy growth of no commercial or esthetic value. Headaches of instances have been observed where the loss has been so great that from 10 to 100 leaders were attacked for every one which was left standing.

The pine weevil attacks the leaders of all species of pines less than 10 feet high. It does not usually depend on any particular soil or climate but is everywhere present in the pine woods of Maine. It is especially common in the pine woods of the State where the growth is rapid and the trees are young.

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Profusely illustrated throughout, it is bound to be appreciated by the thousands of farmers in the State who are looking up the sheep industry to its old time position in the farm system. Copies may be obtained free by residents of Maine upon request to the Department of Agriculture, Augusta, Maine.

NEW RECORD IN ROAD WORK

During the month of June the State Department of Agriculture approved project statements for 173 Federal and project, including the improvement of 1,599.29 miles of road at a total estimated cost of \$24,224,494.94, and on which Federal aid in the amount of \$11,004,243.42 was requested. This represents the largest number of project statements approved, the largest estimate of cost, and the largest amount of Federal aid requested during any month since the passage of the Federal road act.

During the month there were received by the State Department of Agriculture 103 project agreements, including the improvement of 2,927 miles of road at a total estimated cost of \$2,700,000.00, and on which \$1,000,000.00 Federal aid was requested and approved. The project agreements included the improvement of 1,919 miles of road at a total estimated cost of \$1,700,000.00, and on which \$700,000.00 Federal aid was requested and approved. The project agreements included the improvement of 1,008 miles of road at a total estimated cost of \$900,000.00, and on which \$400,000.00 Federal aid was requested and approved.

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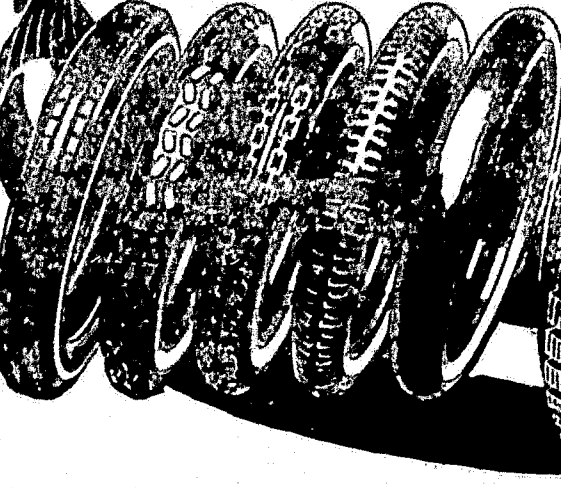
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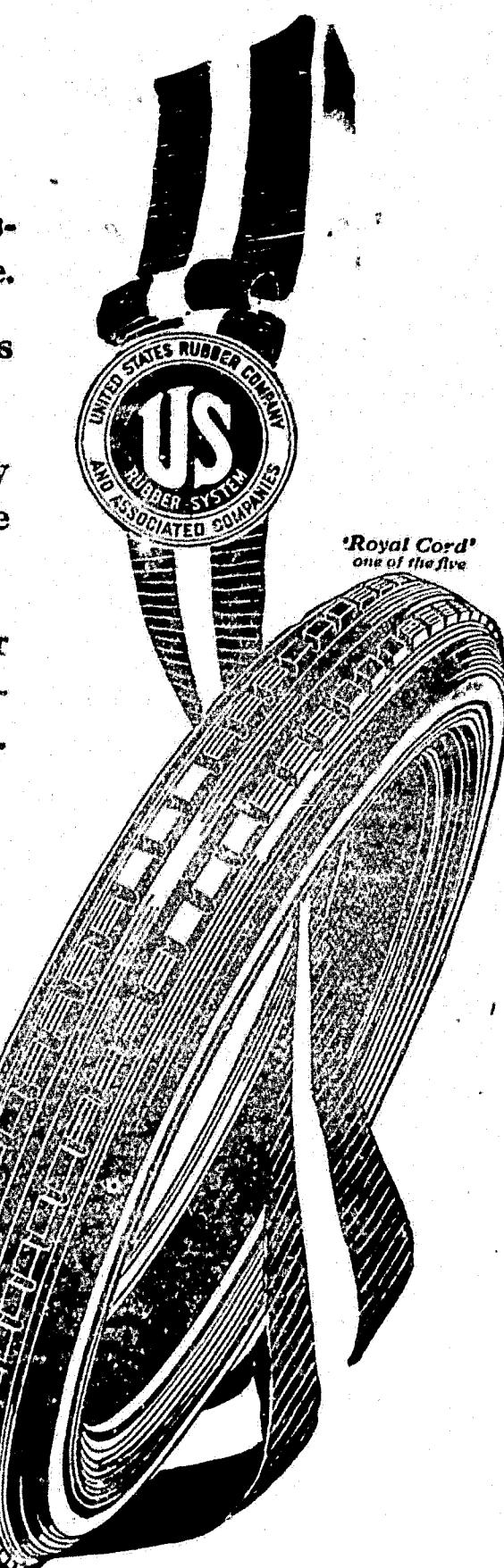
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SALADS AND DRESSINGS
Catherine Clement

Salads are made from cooked and raw meats, fish, vegetables, fruits, etc. They may be combined with French, mayonnaise or boiled dressing, or in some cases with cream dressing.

A meat, fish or egg salad served with dressing contains much nourishment. A green salad has a lower food value, but it is wholesome, refreshing and appetizing.

Preparation
Remove bone, skin, fat and gristle from meat and fish. Cut meat, vegetables, etc., into pieces of uniform size. Lettuce or other greens used should be allowed to soak in cold water some time washed thoroughly and dried between the folds of a clean cloth, and put on ice for a short time before using. A salad is not a success if not attractive to the eye. All salads look better if served on lettuce leaves. If lettuce is not on hand, parsley, celery tops, nasturtium leaves, etc., make attractive garnish.

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Tomato Salad

Pour hot water over tomatoes, drain off, remove the skins and chill thoroughly. Tomatoes are very nice mixed with celery or any kind of greens; dress with lettuce or most used; minced or chopped onions give a nice flavor.

Cabbage Salad

One medium-sized cabbage; one good-sized onion; one teaspoon salt; one tablespoon butter; one tablespoon flour; one-half teaspoon each of celery seed, white mustard seed and mustard; one tablespoon sugar; one cup cider vinegar. Chop cabbage fine, add grated onion and the salt, and set aside. Blend together the butter and flour, stir in the sugar and seasoning, then add the vinegar; cook until smooth, and pour hot over the cabbage. Set away to cool and allow the salad to season thoroughly.

Egg and Beet Salad

Take some eggs hard, slice or chop finely; chop the beets, mix with dressing and serve on lettuce leaves. The taste is better if put in a pickle of sugar, vinegar and water for a few hours.

Waldorf Salad

Chop equal quantities of apple, celery and walnuts; mix quite soft with salad dressing, to which you have added a little cream. Serve on lettuce leaves.

Potato Salad

Boil good sized potatoes; one cream of tartar; cut in cubes, three hard cooked eggs; one good sized onion, grated or minced; parsley. Wash the potatoes, and cook them in boiling, salted water until

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Juno Salad

One Neufchatel cheese; one-fourth cup chopped pimentos; one-half cup chopped walnuts; one-third cup dressing. Cream the cheese, add enough boiled dressing to make soft, then nuts and lastly, pimentos.

Huntington Salad

Finely chop white cabbage; there should be two-thirds cup. Work a cream cheese and add cabbage. When thoroughly blended, make into small balls; arrange on lettuce leaves; pour over a French dressing, sprinkle with paprika, and garnish with radishes cut to represent tulips.

French Dressing

Six tablespoons olive oil; two tablespoons vinegar; one half teaspoon salt; one-fourth teaspoon mustard; one fourth teaspoon sugar; one fourth teaspoon paprika; one fourth teaspoon pepper. Rub bowl with garlic or onion, put in the seasonings, mix in oil, add vinegar, one drop at a time; if the oil floats, too much vinegar has been used.

Mayonnaise Dressing

One egg yolk; one half teaspoon salt; one-fourth teaspoon mustard; one half teaspoon powdered sugar; one fourth teaspoon paprika; two teaspoons vinegar; three teaspoons lemon juice; one cup olive oil. Mix dry ingredients, add egg yolk and mix well. Add oil, drop by drop, stirring constantly. When mixture begins to thicken, add a little more vinegar to thin it; then add a little more rapidly, alternating with the vinegar until both are used.

Boiled Dressing

One-half pint milk; one teaspoon salt; a dash of red pepper; one tablespoon vinegar; one-fourth teaspoon pepper; two tablespoons butter; one tablespoon corn starch; three eggs. Heat the milk, separate eggs, moisten corn starch with a little cold milk, add it to the hot; when thick and smooth, stir in the yolks of eggs, well beaten; cook just a moment; take from fire and pour white hot into the well-beaten whites; add salt, pepper and the vinegar, drop by drop. Put aside to cool.

Sour Cream Dressing

One-half pint sour cream; two tablespoons lemon juice; two tablespoons vinegar; one teaspoon salt; one fourth teaspoon pepper; one teaspoon mixed mustard; one tablespoon sugar. Beat the cream with an egg-beater until smooth, thick and light. Mix the other ingredients together and gradually add to the cream, beating all the while. This dressing may be modified to suit different vegetables. Having beaten sour cream for a foundation, the seasoning may be anything desired, as for example, the mustard and lemon may be omitted and the dressing be seasoned highly with any kind of catsup. A sweet cream may be substituted for the sour; it should be quite thick.

Salad Dressing for Fruit

Two tablespoons butter; one half cup orange juice; one fourth cup lemon juice; two tablespoons flour; one half cup sugar. Cream the butter, add the fruit juice and cook until the starch in the flour is well cooked. Serve on apples, pears, bananas and nuts, cut in small pieces.

CANTON

Arthur Lawrence Tirrell of Canton, who has been overseas for the past year, has received his honorable discharge and returned home.

The funeral of Mrs. Juliette Stetson, wife of Lewis C. Stetson of Hartford, was held Monday at the home. Mrs. Stetson had been in failing health for some time and passed away Saturday night. Among those from out of town who attended the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Stetson of Dixfield, Floyd Stetson of Bath, Mrs. Ralph Stetson of Rumford, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hewitt of Livermore, Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Sampson of No. Hartford and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Jones of Canton.

Twenty-one guests of Pinewood Camp enjoyed a straw ride to Worthley Pond, Wednesday afternoon, and held a delightful picnic on the shore of the lake, returning home in the evening.

Miss Clara M. Barrows has been entertaining Mrs. Grace Alwood Atherton of Brockton, Mass. Mrs. Nina Russell Israelson and Mrs. Nellie Stanwood Morse of Rumford, all former residents of Canton.

Mrs. Lucy Elliott of North Rumford has been a guest of her father, A. F. Russell and family.

Mrs. Philora Strout is spending a few weeks at Old Orchard.

Mrs. Mary P. Richardson is spending a few weeks with her daughters, Mrs. W. S. Ingersoll and Mrs. W. A. Lucas. Miss Arlene Russell is attending summer school at Hyannis, Mass.

Little Eleanor Andrews of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Annie T. Rose, and family. Mrs. Floyd Cole and little son, Roger, are guests of Mrs. Susie V. Cole and Mrs. Evie Burke.

A party of guests from Pinewood Camp, with the proprietor, O. M. Richardson as guide, took a hike to the summit of Speckled Mountain and camped for the night, returning home the next night. They report a fine time.

Mrs. Mary B. Lane has been on an outing to Eustis with a party of friends. She is now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Richardson, and expects her husband, Elmer B. Lane, home from overseas soon.

Mrs. Edna Rose and two children have been guests of her father, Clinton Porter, and family of Peru.

Elzie Daigle has returned home from the hospital at Melrose, Mass., and is rapidly improving in health. He is stopping for the present at Pinewood Camp.

Handsomeness new signs have been placed on the stores of A. S. Bicknell and H. Dyer the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Virgin of Auburn have been guests of Mrs. Jane Burbank. They formerly lived in town.

"The Ladies' Aid" held a pleasant meeting Thursday with Mrs. Levi Hackett. Williams Hines has returned from overseas, bringing with him a bride from France.

Mrs. Carrie Lombard of Mechanic Falls has been a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Annie T. Rose, and family.

Rev. Frank M. Lamb of the United Baptist church held services at the village square Sunday evening, which were well attended.

Fred Gates of Hallowhill, Mass., has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Parsons.

The Universalist Circle will meet Thursday at the vestry.

Miss Mary Bonney of Sumner is a guest of Mrs. Elmer H. York and family.

John Lavergne is expected home from overseas next week.

Frank Richardson has been suffering with a painful injury to his foot, when a board was pierced through it. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. DeBotton and child, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, of Portland have been in town calling on friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Frost of Hartford is at work of Pinewood Camp.

F. B. Woodward and family will leave for their new home in Newport this week. Ernest Gilling and family will leave the next week to be them.

Mrs. Vera Russell of Portland has been visiting at her home in town.

The ladies' hall was open to the public, Saturday, and played with the Merrimack Mills crew.

A musical and literary entertainment was enjoyed by the guests at Pinewood Camp, Monday evening and a dance followed, with food punch served to all. Mrs. Martha Cook of Hartford is entertaining her niece, Mrs. Winnie Kilburn, of Putnam, Conn.

Fred Lowell was home from Jay, Sunday.

Summer vacationists are arriving at the cottages around the lake, and August will find many visitors in town.

George Parkhurst of Lawrence, Mass., is a guest of Ansel Ellis.

Mrs. Ella Parsons of Auburn is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Emory Parsons and family of Hartford.

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LOOKE'S MILLS

Curtis Abbott visited with relatives in Mechanic Falls, Sunday.

Mrs. King Bartlett and Gwendolyn were in Lewiston, Thursday.

Ethel Cole was a week end guest of friends at East Bethel.

Ralph King has moved his family into one of the Telbott's rents.

Mrs. Ida Hutcheson of Massachusetts is visiting Mrs. W. B. Root.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ring attended grange at Bryant's Pond, Saturday. The reception of Mr. and Mrs. Owen

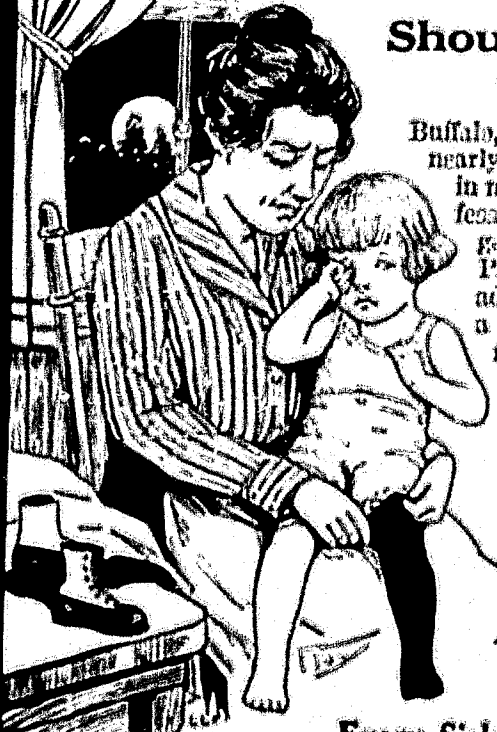
Davis (nee Bertha Bartlett) was held Thursday evening at Grange Hall, Bryant's Pond. Over one hundred were present. Refreshments were served during the evening. Dancing and games were enjoyed. The presents consisted of cut glass, silverware, money, an Aladdin lamp and a Grolex cooker.

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Mr. Ralph Sawyer spent the week end with his family.

Mr. Ralph Young was home from Houghton for the week end.

Mrs. Lucinda Edwards of Boston arrived Friday to spend a few weeks.

Mr. Oscar Wilson of Massachusetts spent the week end with friends in town.

Miss Kathryn Hanson is spending the week as the guest of Miss Dorothy Hutchins.

Miss Thelma Hutchinson has returned home from Berlin, where she has been visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bryant and son Myron and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Young were in Norway, Sunday.

Miss Marian T. Pratt arrived Saturday from Reading, Mass., to spend several days with friends in town.

Miss Margaret Hanson of Mechanic Falls is spending the week as the guest of Miss Grace Van Den Kerckhoven.

Messrs. F. L. and E. L. Wormell of Woodford were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Davis a few days last week.

Mr. Truman Stevens and daughter and Mrs. Lyons, nee Nell Stevens, of Hartford, Conn., are visiting friends in town.

Miss Miriam Herriek returned home from Boston, Friday, to spend her vacation with her parents, Judge and Mrs. A. E. Herriek.

Mrs. William Thomas and grandson, Harold Thomas, of Providence, R. I., are guests of Mrs. Thomas' sister, Mrs. F. B. Tuell, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Merrill of Grand Rapids, Mich., arrived Saturday to spend a month with his mother, Mrs. Edmund Merrill, and family.

Dr. J. G. Gehring and wife left Monday for Christmas Cove, where they will spend the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall of Cleveland, Ohio, will be with them.

Mrs. L. W. Ramsell and daughter, Kathryn, and Mr. Ernest Holt were guests of Mrs. Ramsell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Holt, at Norway, Saturday.

The ball game played at Gorham last Saturday between the Gorham town team and the Bethel Athletic Association team resulted in a score of 10 to 6 in favor of the Bethel team.

A crew of men in the U. S. Aviation Service stopped in Bethel Monday night on their way to Berlin, N. H. They had with them a French monoplane, a Morane model, also a number of large trucks and were recruiting for the Air Service.

Mr. and Mrs. John V. Holt and son, Reginald, of Andover, Mass., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Porington of Manchester-by-the-Sea, motored to Bethel, Saturday. The Holt family will remain two weeks with Mrs. Holt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Porington, but Mr. and Mrs. Porington returned home Monday afternoon.

The Ladies' Club met with Mrs. P. B. Tuell last Thursday, and Mrs. Skeels who has recently come to Albany with her family to occupy their summer home was a guest of the club and gave a most interesting account of their trip from Savannah, Ga., to Maine by automobile, also told much of interest concerning life in her southern home city.

Mrs. I. H. Wight was in Berlin, Monday.

Mr. William Laughlin of Middle Dam was in town for the week end.

Miss Marion Allen of So. Paris is the guest of Miss Florence Coburn.

Miss Marjorie Allen of Portland is spending the week with friends in town.

Mrs. A. N. Twitchell of Gorham, N. H., is spending the week with relatives in town.

Miss Dorothy Hanson is spending the week as the guest of Miss Elizabeth Mason.

Mr. Ed. Coburn of Middle Dam spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. John Coburn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Donahue and Mrs. Fisher of Berlin were guests at Mr. T. B. Burke's, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Gehring, who have been spending several days in Boston, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Sawyer of Jonesport were calling on Mrs. Abbie Carver and family, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Billings and son of Dorchester, Mass., are guests of his mother, Mrs. Sarah Billings.

Mrs. Jennie Newell and daughter, Florence, of Concord, N. H., are guests of Mrs. H. N. Upton and family.

Orders at the Tea Room for raised rolls Wednesday and Saturday and tea biscuits remaining week days.—Adv.

The ladies of the Universalist church have arranged a very good entertainment to be given in Odeon Hall on Aug. 12 with Miss Edith Hastings, reader, and Miss Marion Haskell, violinist, Miss Ruth Cummings, pianist, assisted by local talent.

The Canning Season

is now on and those who wish to avoid the heat and trouble of canning and still have canned goods with the real home flavor may consult with

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Mrs. Carrie Arno of Gorham, N. H., is visiting friends in town.

Miss Ruth Buck returned to Ashburnham, Sunday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Buck, for a few weeks.

Mrs. Harris White and two children of Haverhill, Mass., are guests of Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lowe.

RUMFORD

The funeral services of Mrs. M. Towne were held last week the home of her granddaughter, Charles Duntin, of Franklin.

Mrs. Towne was 73 years of age had been in fine health until about a month ago when she fell and fractured her hip. Since that time she has been well. She is survived by daughter, Mrs. Mabel Hanley of Lin, N. H., and two grandchildren, Charles Duntin, and William T. Hanley, who is still in the service.

Waldo Pettengill, oldest son of and Mrs. George Pettengill of street, will enter Wilbraham Academy at Wilbraham, Mass., this fall.

Gaylord W. Douglass, formerly principal of the Rumford High school headmaster at this academy. Vesp who attended Rumford schools, and was a student in the Rumford school under Mr. Douglass, is now of the faculty at this academy.

Mrs. Frank Lynch and three children of Mexico and her aunt, Miss Lill will spend a month at Peak's Island.

Mrs. Henry Dix and two children are the guests of Mrs. Dix's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Burditt, of Wington street.

Mrs. Harlan Longfellow of Dun street, Virginia District, are enjoying a month in camp at Millbury, Vt.

Mrs. Fred Fish and little son Bridgeport, Conn., are the guests of Mrs. Fish's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Fish, of Berlin street.

Miss Mabel Dugas is the guest of grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Terfield, of East Dixfield.

Robert Watson of the Virginia District and a student at Stephens High school is enjoying a vacation at Farwell's farm at Bethel. His brother Willard, is the guest of relatives Lewiston.

Ralph Stetson of the Virginia District, who has been in the service two years, is reported to be on his way home. Percy Davis, also of Virginia who is overseas, has been promoted sergeant.

Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding Blasco are spending the summer in the Rangeley region, on the shores of Lake Umbagog.

Miss Edith Flagg of Rumford mechanics Institute is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties which she is spending in the Rangeley region.

Rev. R. F. Lowe is spending a few weeks with relatives in Kittery. Mr. Lowe is the guest of her mother at sister in Madison.

Mrs. Warren Salisbury of Chicopee has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Abbott, and other relatives in town.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hadley of Rumford avenue are making a trip to Mount Cape Breton, N. S. Mr. Hadley has gone in the interests of business.

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It is a fact which many mothers have been obliged to admit, that their children, otherwise perfectly healthy, are suffering from worms, which cause distressing symptoms familiar to parents. If your child is thin, nervous, restless at night, look for worms, and if present, don't delay using the safe and proper remedy, "L. F." Atwood's Medicine. The following testimonials were unsolicited:

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OF LOCAL INTEREST

Some People We Know, and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them

This is purely a local event. It took place in Bethel. Not in some faraway place. You are asked to investigate it. Asked to believe a citizen's word. To confirm a citizen's statement. Any article that is endorsed at home is more worthy of confidence than one you know nothing about. Endorsed by unknown people.

F. M. Wood, 4 Park St., says: "My kidneys began to annoy me some years ago after I had strained my back while lifting. After that, my back ached pretty badly and I was in miserable shape for a long time. When I took cold, my kidneys got congested and at times they acted irregularly. I finally used Doan's Kidney Pills and I never took another medicine that acted so quickly. I soon had relief from the backache and my kidneys were regulated. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at Bosserman's Drug Store as needed and they always help me."

Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Wood had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

The Rumford summer school has been so successful thus far that another teacher has had to be added. Mrs. Wilfred Caron is now assisting the regular corps of teachers.

Mrs. Maher of Lowell, Mass., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph T. Parker, of Penobscot street.

Arthur Landry has left for a trip to Cape Breton, N. S., on business.

Miss Evelyn Melcher, who teaches in a Montross school, is spending the summer vacation with her father, Mr. Richmond Melcher, of Pine street.

Miss Dorothy Wheat, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Fred E. Wheat, formerly of Rumford, but now of Westbrook, who graduated from the Rumford High school in the class of 1919, expects to enter Bates College this fall.

The Oxford County Field Day Association, O. E. S., will be held with Pythagorean Chapter of Fryeburg on July 29th.

Announcements have just been received in town of the marriage of Miss Rena Fove of Hattiesburg, Miss., and Sergeant Hanton Topp of Tupelo, Miss. They expect to reside in Texas. Mrs. Topp is a sister of Mrs. Samuel Foster of this town and has spent much time in Rumford with her sister.

Another wedding announcement is that of the marriage of Miss Muriel Heath Randolph to Major John Corson Grant. The wedding took place in LeMans, France. Miss Randolph is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Randolph who formerly resided in Rumford, but who now live in Middletown, Ohio. Mrs. Grant left this country last fall, and has been singing to the boys in France. Mr. and Mrs. Grant will be at home in San Francisco, Calif., after Jan. 5, 1920.

Miss Cora Muzzall, clerk at Leary's store, is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her duties, which she is spending at Cony Island.

A. J. Pine, proprietor of Pine's restaurant, has enlarged his dining room by the putting in of five new tables. The show cases and counters have been removed.

The sidewalks on Congress street are being concreted by Urie Metevier.

Friends of Miss Gertrude Thayer of Boston will be interested to learn that on July 1st she was married to Mr. J. J. Warren Johnson of Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McCafferty of Waldo street are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son.

Within the next two weeks, W. W. Hardy will letter on the balance of the names of men who served in the war.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grant have moved to Rumford from Roxbury.

Mrs. Clara Dibble of Springfield, Mass., formerly of Rumford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Philip Legard.

Casper Cohen will enter Bowdoin Medical School in the fall.

Miss Abbie Perry of Providence, R. I., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry, of Hancock street.

Homer LaChance has purchased of W. Stephens an \$1900 Apperson touring car.

Fred E. Goding will soon begin construction of a double tenement house on the lot at the rear of his home on Hancock street.

Aigley Poulton has returned to his former position at the Rumford National Bank.

Mr. John Webster, who has been superintendent in the office of the Maine Central Paper Company, has resigned his position and has returned to his former home in Wabash, Indiana. He has been leaving his friends to meet him at Pine Point Camps at Rock Harbor, and also presented him with a new automobile (Ford 40), and a new pair of shoes.

Mr. Webster is making a trip to Indiana in his car with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Webster of Rumford are now receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son, which has been named Charles Thomas.

The Virginia mail route.

PROBATE NOTICES

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court, held at Paris in and for the County of Oxford, on the third Tuesday of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen newspaper published at Bethel, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Rumford, on the third Tuesday of August, A. D. 1919, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Gertrude M. Adamson of Bethel, minor ward; first account presented for allowance by Lewis Loyett, guardian. Charles Bertrand Whitman of Woodstock, minor ward; third account presented for allowance by Florence E. Cushman, administratrix of the estate of George L. Cushman, former guardian of said ward.

Witness, ADDISON E. HERRICK, Judge of said Court at Paris, this third Tuesday of July in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen.

A. D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Clara M. Walker late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law requires. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

ALLEN H. WALKER, Bethel, Maine.

July 14th, 1919.

NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Goldie E. Morgan late of Bethel in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

GUY H. MORGAN, Bethel, Maine.

July 15th, 1919.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Hyde, formerly of Rumford, but recently of Keokuk, Iowa, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son. Mr. Hyde has completed his duties in Keokuk, and expects now to go to the Pacific coast. The little son has been named Hawthood Ray Hyde.

The following is a complete list of the teachers for the Rumford schools for the coming year: Stephens High School: L. G. Paine, Principal; B. D. Churton, Commercial; H. G. Noyes, Vocational; E. W. McKee, Agriculture; Ida F. Kimball, French and Spanish; Augusta B. Paine, Latin and English; Nellie M. Dennis, Stenography and Typewriting; Hazel MacGregor, English; Edna Ireland, Elocution; Margaret Sheehy, History and Mathematics; Frances Wiggin, Domestic Science and Mathematics. Stephens Junior High: Grace Condy and Mona Roberts. Pettengill School: Emily Roseland, VII; Eva Dearing, VI; Nellie G. Weeks, III; Priscilla Roderick, I and II; Edith L. Neal, Principal of Primary. Chisholm School: Enna Gleason, Principal; V. Josephine Powers, IV and V; Clara Bickford, IV; Katherine Flint, IV; Alice J. Rowe, III; Edna L. Bell, II; Hazel Webster, I; Rose Matthew, Primary. Blace School: Lucy Murphy, Principal, VI; Alice Hopkins, IV and V; Bertha Thorne, II and III; Sadie Whyte, Primary and I. Virginia School: Florence Akers, VII; Annie Akers, VI; Merle LeVasseur, V; Marie Hanson, IV; Ennio Raff, III; Lena Noyes, II; Marietta Sweeney, Principal, Primary and I. MacDonald School: Helen F. Beane, Principal, VI and VII; Maya Beale, IV and V; Lila Allen, II and III; Helen Brown, Primary and I. Holland School: Bertha White, Red Hill School: Lila Hoyt, Rumford Centre, Primary: Effie Akers. Rumford Polat: Primary, Winona Padock; Grammar, Clara Jackson; High, Martha D. Carl. Special Teachers: Manual Training, G. R. Frank; Domestic Science, M. Sanford; Cooks; Music, Isabelle Russell; Drawing and Penmanship, Helen Stevens; Assistant to the Principal of the Blace and Chisholm Schools, Inez Sanford; Assistant to the Principal of the Pettengill and Virginia Schools, Ethel Linnell.

Mrs. Ada F. Martin of Franklin street left on Saturday for Long Island, Portland Harbor, where she will spend the next month with her daughter and family. Mr. G. A. Hutchins.

Mr. Russell Lawe of the Maine Central Paper Company is entertaining his mother, Mrs. Harde, of New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wescott are on a driving summer life on a farm in Casco. Both Mr. and Mrs. Wescott have not been in the best of health of late.

Mr. Fred Stearns of New York City, who formerly in the employ of Ouyas Brothers of this town, is spending several weeks in Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Coan of Bethel are the guests of Mrs. Coan's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Eaton, of Franklin street.

Robert Douglass is substituting on the Virginia mail route.

WEST PARIS

The Federated Sunday Schools enjoyed a picnic at G. L. Briggs' grove Thursday. Ice cream was served and games enjoyed.

Mrs. Esther Tuell has been the guest of Mrs. Mary Stevens a few days the past week.

Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler are entertaining his mother, Mrs. P. L. Wheeler, and Miss Grace Wheeler of Oakland.

Miss Astraea T. Nickerson, leader and organizer for the Maine W. C. T. U., spoke at the Baptist church Tuesday evening, July 22.

Rev. H. A. Markley preached the last sermon before vacation, Sunday. Communion was observed. Two joined the church, one by the right hand of fellowship.

Mrs. E. D. Stilwell has been entertaining her sister and niece from Massachusetts.

C. L. Hildon made a business trip to Bangor last week.

Miss Mabel E. Ricker is visiting her brother Arthur G. Ricker, and wife at Bristol, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler, and Mrs. P. E. Wheeler, Grace Wheeler, H. R. Tuell, Mrs. Mary Stevens, Minnie Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Andrews of South Woodstock enjoyed a blueberrying picnic with Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Markley at their farm, "Home Acres," Turner. Other friends were invited but were unable to go.

Mrs. Lillian Tonn, wife of Samuel K. Estes, died Sunday evening after an illness of several months from pernicious anemia. Mrs. Estes was the daughter of Joseph and Sylvia Noyes of Sumner, born June 17, 1859. She was twice married, her first husband Samuel Eugene Hammond, died several years ago. She is survived by their three children: Alphonzo of New York, Agnes wife of John E. Brock of West Paris, and Merion Hammond of Boston. Besides her husband and children she is survived by three grandchildren and three brothers, George Noyes, Leon Noyes and Maurice Noyes of South Paris. She was a member of the Methodist church where her funeral was held. Rev. H. H. Hathaway officiated. There were pretty flowers.

The closing services for the vacation season at the Universalist church were held Sunday. Two young ladies joined the church, and the communion service was observed. Rev. and Mrs. Markley will go to their farm, "Home Acres," in Turner for a few days before going to Ferry Beach for the Universalist meetings.

Rev. Torsitt of Bangor, Secretary of the Maine Anti-Tuberculosis Association, gave a stereopticon lecture at the Universalist church, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Guy Foy and little son of Windham are guests of Mrs. Abner Mann.

Quincy A. Day has bought the Fuller house on Greenwood street.

Mrs. F. S. Farnum has vacated the Dunham store where she has sold millinery for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt S. McKenney and son, Gordon, of Greenwood, Mass., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Curtis.

Carroll A. Bacon is breaking up house-keeping. He is working at Gorham, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pitts of Rockport were week end guests of R. T. Plavin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Mann were at Camp Idylwild, Locke's Mills, last week. During the week their visitors were: Mrs. C. L. Riddon, Agnes Gray, Laura Harden and Ida Jacobs. Over the week end they entertained the Jolly Twelve Whist Club and several friends. Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. F. H. Packard, Dr. and Mrs. P. E. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. George Devine and daughter Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Riddon, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Penley, Mrs. Dora Jackson, Miss Alice Penley, Leon Hadley, Maynard Chase, Benjamin R. Billings, Bryant's Pond, and Mrs. Emma Mann, South Paris, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Pitts, Arthur and Ethel Plavin were also callers at Idylwild.

D. H. Field and P. C. Mayhew and family motored to Portland, Sunday, and went near Orr's Island to enjoy a shore dinner, as guests of Mr. Field's friend, a grain salesman.

Sunday afternoon an automobile collision occurred on the curve just north of Young's Garage at Trap Corner (near West Paris) which might easily have proved more serious. An Oakland Sedan owned by a Mr. Delliver from Lewiston was running north and collided with a Ford coming from Locke's Mills and driven by Mrs. Silas Kenis-ton of that place.

It was claimed by witnesses of the accident that the Lewiston car was on the wrong side of the highway and that its driver failed to see the Ford until too late to avoid the collision. Mrs. Keniston was on the right side of the road and watching the other car until it came so close that she attempted to avoid the collision by turning to the left side. The Sedan struck the Ford with such force as to throw Mrs. Keniston out of her car and over the Lewiston car but, most fortunately, with no serious injury to the woman. The Ford car was badly damaged but the owner of the Lewiston car offered

ANDOVER

Robert Boyd suffered an ill attack last Thursday afternoon.

The King's Daughters met with Mrs. R. A. Grover, Thursday, July 17. Ten members were present. Refreshments of lemonade and fancy crackers were served by the hostess.

Mrs. Mary Littlehale was the guest of Mrs. Abbie Marston a few days last week.

Clarence Akers from Chelsea, Mass., is visiting his parents, Edward Akers, and wife.

Wallace Howe and family from Rumford were in town, Sunday.

Mrs. Guy Akers and two sons, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Toward, returned Monday to her home in Weston, Mass.

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Howard, when their daughter, Gladys May, was united in marriage to Stephen Colby Abbott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Holton Abbott of So. Andover. Rev. Mr. Lakin, pastor of the Congregational church, performed the ceremony. The double ring service was used. Henry Howard from Brunswick and Mrs. Guy Akers from Weston, Mass., brother and sister of the bride, attended. Only the immediate families were present. At 8.30 a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holton Abbott. Nearly 200 guests were present and many presents were received. During the evening the bride and groom left for a short honeymoon trip, after which they will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Abbott.

Nathan Akers and daughters from Rumford are visiting this week with Edward Akers and family.

The joint school committee meeting of the districts of Andover, Mexico, Byron and Roxbury was held at the Abbott building, Wednesday evening.

Doris Ripley and Elizabeth Bartlett are taking music lessons of Walter Rolfe at Rumford.

Dr. Mark Newton and wife from Sabattus, Miss Kate Howe and Miss Julia Stockbridge of North Rumford were in town, Sunday, and visited their old home, the Lambert Newton farm.

The following officers of Cabot Lodge, K. of P., were installed Friday evening in an able manner by D. D. G. C. Nathan Akers of Rumford:

P. C.—D. L. Noble.
C. C.—George Grover.
V. C.—Bert Freeman.
P.—Lewis R. Morton.
M. of W.—Victor Akers.
M. at A.—Charles Smith.
I. G.—Lawrence Parsons.
O. G.—Waldo Merrill.

At intermission ice cream and cake were served.

Miss Gould and sister from Portland are occupying Mrs. Hortense Newton's house for the summer.

June M. Grange held its regular meeting in the hall, Saturday evening. Mrs. Mary Robinson, Lecturer of New Century Pomona, was a guest and delivered an inspiring address to the members.

Mrs. Harry Thomas is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harrison Amber, at Rangely.

MASON

Mr. and Mrs. Dolly Lapham and family and Mrs. Frank Emery of Albany called at S. O. Grover's, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Prescott Bennett and Bert and Grace Bennett of Gilead were in town, Friday evening.

The Blanchards have arrived at their summer camp in town.

Channing Scribner is at work for E. C. Mills.

J. A. McKenzie has purchased the grass on the Bennie Tyler place.

Mrs. Eli Grover and daughter, Verna, visited relatives in Bethel one day recently.

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WADE H. THURSTON, Bethel, Maine.

July 15, 1919.

FORCLOSURE OF MORTGAGE

Whereas Frank Foster of Albany in the County of Oxford and State of Maine, by his mortgage deed, dated the seventh day of April, A. D. 1902, and recorded in the Oxford registry of deeds, book 207, page 419, conveyed to John A. Twaddle, in his life time, a certain parcel of real estate situated in said Albany, and described as follows: Albany as the County way leading from Albany Town House to West Bethel, it being the same premises conveyed this day by warranty deed to said Foster; and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken.

Now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof a foreclosure of said mortgage is hereby claimed.

July 24, 1919.

BET. J. A. TWADDLE, by Harriet L. Twaddle, Adm.

Stock and Cattle Owners, Attention!

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POEMS WORTH READING

HOME

By Mary Garrison Barry
I used to tell the old folks, before I
went away,
They ought to get a new home and live
the modern way.
But now I say it's good enough, and I
just realize
The bliss of seeing it again, with two
good eyes.

I wasn't very keen for work and
dreamt of "upper classes,"
Where fingers start on cocktails and
end on demitasses.
But you have to see your bunkie, arm-
less, bleed on war-torn lands,
Before you know the value of your two
good hands.

I used to watch the limousines spin
down the town highway,
And envy—envy—envy . . . but
that was yesterday.
Today, I want no greater joy than
walking down the street,
With my Croix de Guerre and chevrons,
And my two good feet.

Home again to mother and her tender
good-night kiss;
I used to think, before I went, I was too
old for this.
But, I'll tell the world, the dogout that
looked humble at the start,
Becomes a tabernacle to the doughboy's
grateful heart.

THE RETURN

By M. A. Flanders
There was a sob and a sigh—
As the Mother watched the troops,
Gallantly marching by,
She thought of her boy so far away—
Never more for her to greet—
And wondered if "Immanuel" would—
At the peace table have a seat!

The mothered sob, she tried to retain,
As she viewed the question, she
thought, in vain—
Of the Emerald Isle, where she was
born—
And for America's freedom, her son
was torn—
Of the first to go—the Ninth, she
said—
And now he's with the numberless,
Peacefully sleeping—dead.

Oh! Nations with your plan for peace—
May tyranny on earth forever cease:
If democracy: it is only fair—
To grant each and all equal share.
Olive branch freedom of the soil;
And thus avoid political broil.
From America's west, Erin's sons—
When war first sounded battle guns:
Vigorously they should share—
In the Motherland's fervent prayer,
Let past traditions forever cease,
And grant us an eternal peace.

DURING DUTY

If you were busy being kind,
Before you knew it you would find
You'd soon forget to think 'twas true
That someone was unkind to you.

If you were busy being glad,
And cheering people who were sad,
Although your heart might ache a bit,
You'd soon forget to notice it.

If you were busy being good,
And doing just the best you could,
You'd not have time to blame some man
Who's doing just the best he can.

If you were busy being true,
To what you know you ought to do,
You'd be too busy to forget
The kindness of the folks you've met.

CONSOLATION

By Layland Lamont Calvin
There comes a day to every life,
He is there or he is not;
When death with weight of worldly
care.

These glooms seem more than I can bear,
How shall I then their weight withstand?
And make dull hours like threads of
gold?

A sweet, still voice and very near
Repeat all death, removes all fear—
"First to thy Father's arms and rest,
Oh, seeking heart, fall on His breast!"
Yes, He'll say every burden bear,
Lend me my glass, and down my fear.

Then loving Shepherd's tender voice
Has ever been my faithful guide,
With listening ear He hears me low,
And hears my sorrow, shares my woe.
Then whispering words of love and
peace.

WAKE UP, MAINE!
By M. W. Burlingame
Lives there a man in Maine so dead
Who never to himself hath said,
"This is my own, my native State—
I'll do my best to make her great."
I'll rise up early in the morn,
And shout the merits of her corn,
Her berries blue, her "Boostook" 'atoes,
Her apples, and her red tomatoes,
Her lobsters, yea, and toothsome clams,
Her doughnuts, pies and tender hams.
Oh yes—I'll grant this must be true—
And yet, I'm feeling all-fired blue:
The market must be far away—
I haven't sold a thing today.
And yet—in spite of feeling blue,
I'm hungry, so I'll hie me to
My grocer's, for a Western apple,
An Iceland pie, some Greenland scrap-
ple,
Wisconsin milk, New York State honey,
And pay for it with good MAINE
money,
And as I eat it I'll exclaim:
I think it is a gold star shame
That Maine whose products are divine,
Flies farming on the swift decline!"

WILSON ONE?

Iron bands hold me tight,
Darkness grips me fast,
But from out these troubled seas
I feel God's peace at last.

Oh! The Devil is working so plainly!
He is at it both early and late,
With his whispers malignant and ban-
ful.
Teach his lessons of hate.

But God in His infinite patience
Surrounds us with all loving care,
And 'tis not the whisper malignant
But His spirit which echoes there.

For the Master is working, and surely,
For the doing of all things good,
And we, if we trust him wholly,
Shall be placed in the niche that we
should.

So we have but to look and to listen—
We are under the spell of but one;
We can make or mar as we choose, here,
And we decide which one to shun.

If we just give up and trust
That God in His purpose is right,
Then out from all despair,
Will come rest, as the stillness of night.
A. R. E.

A ROGUE

Quite busy was little Fan one day,
As with many toys she sat at play,
Of various shape and color and style,
Amusing her dear self a while.

When tired of these she gently rose,
And stepping about on her slipper
toss,
Looking around, above, below,
As children often will you know:

(Some older persons act so, too,
Ever looking for something new.)
She said, "To mamma's room I'll go,
I think I can, oh yes, I know."

"If I can get up on a chair
I'll see what's on the bureau there;
I push the chair, along it goes
Oh! Cool! Cool! I hump my nose."

"Here's box and in it, dangle, dangle,
And needles, too, will prick," she said;
"Mamma's nice things, O, here's a look-
see, won't fear if I only look!"

"I see a funny little ball,
Try to catch it ere I fall;
'Tis mamma's fancy 'muller so fine
When her to me 'tween 'tween 'tween."

"The stopper's easy cut, I sink,
An' 'muller so does it makes me wink.
But my tumbling, tum her and 'muller,
The funny's mine, and you'll feel
well!"

And then her mother would ring came
"Calling her little one by name—
'Tis mamma, kitty liked it nice;
I poured it on and rubbed her twice."

"The song to me, and in my lap
She's 'tween be and want a nap,
And now see 'muller and feel as sweet,
She links the funny's deed to eat."
M. G. W.

SOUTH PARIS

At the recent annual meeting of the
stockholders of Paris Trust Co., the fol-
lowing directors were chosen for the en-
suing year: Percy E. Ripley, Alton C.
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George W. Cole, Jr., Sumner E. Nowell,
D. Henry Elfield, John B. Robinson,
Lester L. Mason, Benjamin B. Billings,
John A. Titus, Fred B. Penley and Ed-
win J. Mann. The directors subsequently
chose the following executive commit-
tee, Percy E. Ripley, Alton C. Wheeler,
George M. Atwood, William J. Wheeler,
N. Dayton Bolster, Delbert
M. Stewart, Fred N. Wright, treasurer,
Irving L. Barrows, clerk and sec-
retary, J. Hastings Bean.

At the last regular meeting of the
Ladies Circle of the G. A. R., it was
voted to postpone the regular meet-
ing until the evening of Sept. 20.

Fred Harrison, who has been liv-
ing in the Stearns house on Pleasant
street for several months has purchased
the E. L. Pashin house on Gothic street
of Hibbard Aldrich, and will move there
as soon as the rent is vacated by the
family of E. B. Clifford.

Grayden Martin who has been em-
ployed in Lewiston is now with his
people, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin.

Miss Irene McKnight, daughter of
Thomas McKnight, is spending the
summer with relatives in New Hamp-
shire.

Mrs. Chifton Dunham is in Dixfield on
account of the illness and death of her
father.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dennison of
Paris street are entertaining several
of Mr. Dennison's people from Auburn,
Ind., including her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Henry O. Dennison, his brother,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Dennison and
Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Whitten and family,
Mrs. Whitten being a sister of the
household, now numbering sixteen.

Master Nelson Haskell, son of Mr.
and Mrs. E. N. Haskell, is making a
very good recovery from the effect of
having his tonsils and adenoids re-
moved recently at the C. M. G. hospital.

Master Edward Bean was a guest,
Thursday of Philip and Henry Plam-
mer on the farm in the Biscoe neigh-
borhood.

Miss Elizabeth Morton who has been
visiting her grandparents, Mrs. Arth-
ur C. Soule at South Windham, has re-
turned to her home here with her daugh-
ter, Mrs. George H. Morton.

Stanley Bryant is visiting his grand-
mother, Mrs. George Waterhouse.

Mrs. Fred Burrows has returned from
Buckfield where she has been nursing
for several weeks.

Preparations are being made for the
annual banquet of Paris High school
and Oxford Normal Institute, which is
to be held about the second week in Au-
gust at Paris Grange Hall. The execu-
tive committee are Shirley Rawson,
Miss Ruth Bolster, Raymond Gates and
Miss Ethel Noyes.

About 50 attended the Universalist
Sunday school picnic at Amos' grove,
Thursday. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wise and Miss
Eva Walker went to Bangs Pond, Sat-
urday to spend the week end at their
cottage, "Altamonts." Sunday Albert
W. Walker entertained his employers at
the cottage, the party going from here
with Mr. Walker's truck. Dinner was
served at noon by Mrs. Walker and Mrs.
Wise. The party numbered about 15.

Some of the business men of South
Paris had an outing, Friday, motor-
ing to Crystal, N. H., where they were re-
ally entertained by George Morton and
Clarence Morton, at the Paris Mfg. Co.

Dinner was served at the boarding
house at noon and a very interesting
day passed looking over the large
plant. Those in the party were Walter
L. Gray, J. Augustus Kenney, George
M. Atwood, Samuel Davis, J. Hastings
Bean, N. Dayton Bolster, Arthur Fowler,
Isaac Barrows, Albert W. Walker, Per-
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and Clarence Morton.

Mrs. Virginia Wilson entertained a party
of friends at her home on Pleasant
Friday afternoon. Refreshments were
served and a very enjoyable afternoon
passed. The guests were Mrs. Helen
Edger, Mrs. Lucia Tenney, Mrs. Thomas
Barrows, Mrs. Frank Taylor, Mrs. Frank
Hutchinson, Mrs. George Robinson, Mrs.
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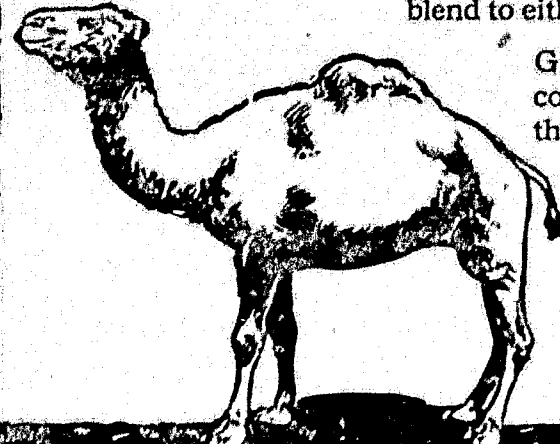
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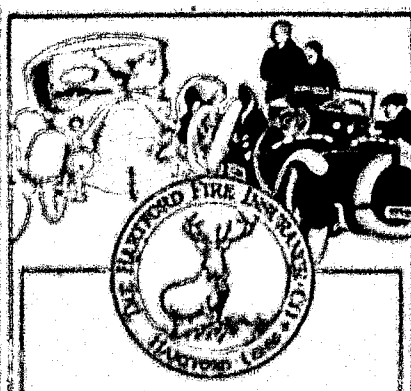
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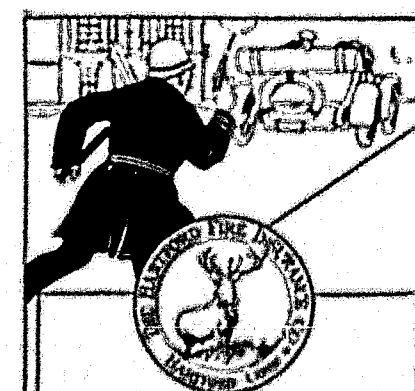


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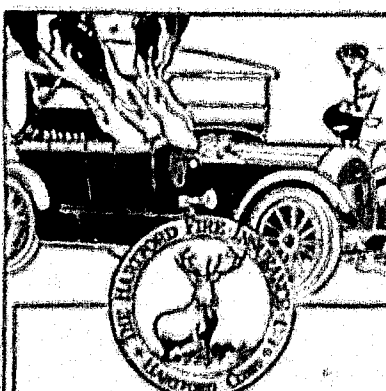


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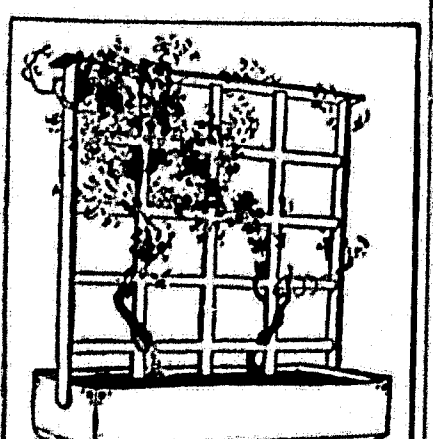
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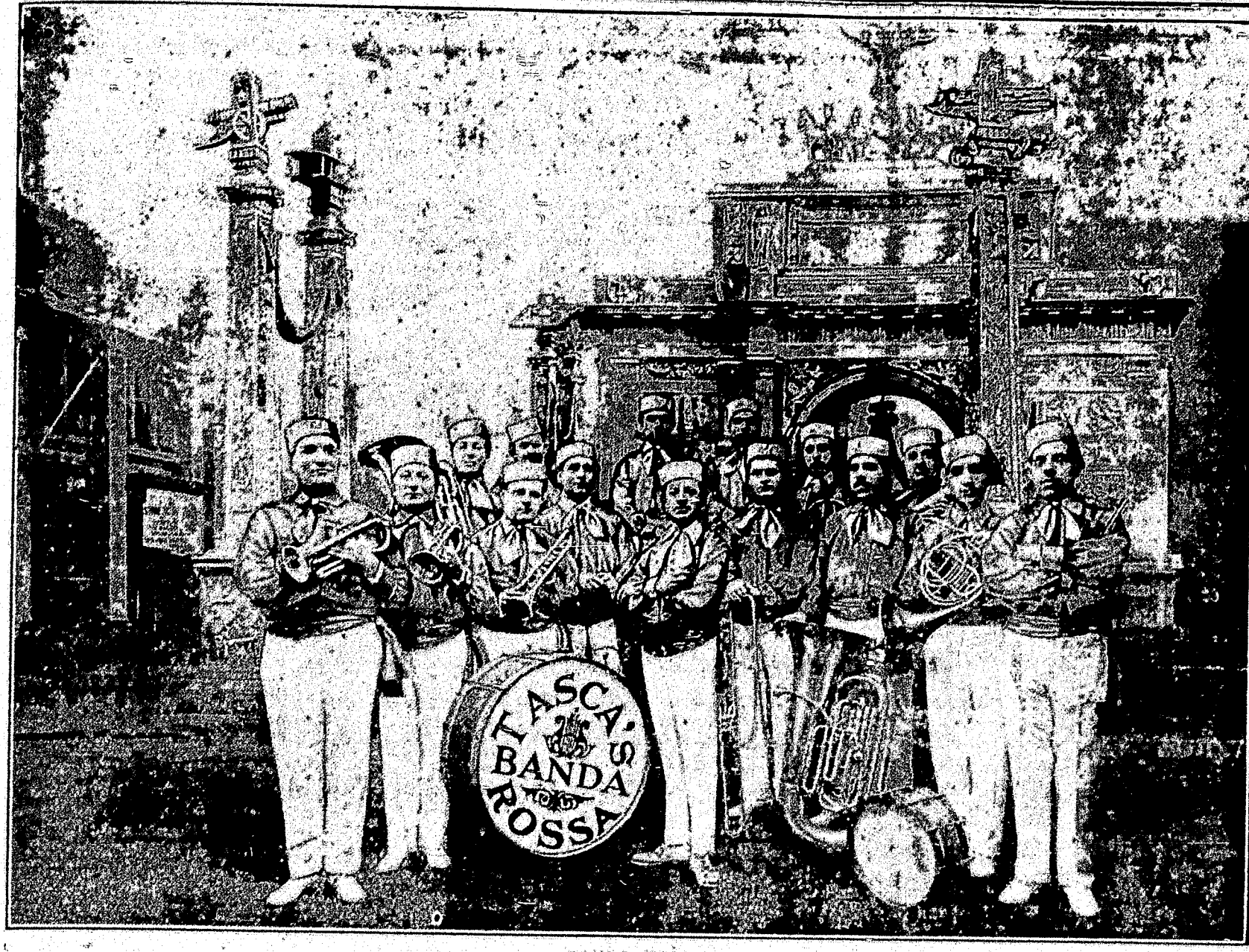
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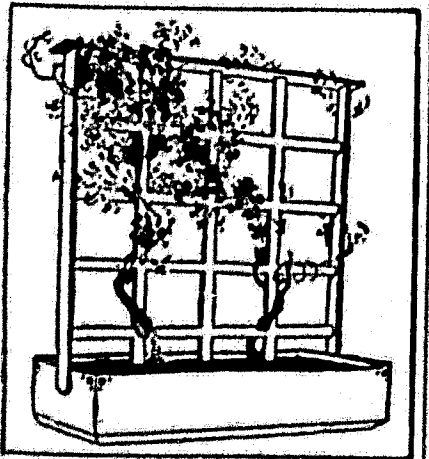
Tascas' famous Banda Rossa is here shown before the great Victory Arch on Fifth Avenue, New York City. This famous organization, which appears on the last day of the Community Chautauqua, has distinguished itself by its fine patriotic work for the third, fourth and fifth Liberty loan campaigns. It is presenting a program of military and popular music especially arranged for this great victory tour.

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The object of this course, now being tried out in New York City, is to place

domestic service on the same dignified basis as clerical work, trained nursing or other professions open to women.

The home assistant will work eight hours a day for a salary of \$15 a week. She will not live in the home of her employer or take her meals there. She will have an hour for luncheon, when she can go to a restaurant or eat a lunch which she has brought with her just as she would were she employed in a factory. The employer will not address the home worker by her first name. She will be Miss Smith or Mrs. Brown, as the case may be.

Applicants for the course are carefully selected, and registrants are appearing in large numbers. With the same independence as to recreation hours, places of eating and living as the factory girl, home-work has a greater appeal, as being a less monotonous and more interesting work to the average woman.

The course is a thorough one in plain cooking, waiting on table and door, chamber work, plain sewing, care of children, making of menus and the washing and ironing of light things. Heavy work is to be done by outside workers. On graduation the student receives a certificate which proves her qualification as a dependable home worker capable of attending to all ordinary duties in a home.

The Young Women's Christian Association has been interested in the problem of domestic service both from the standpoint of the employee and from that of the employer for some years. The first commission on Household Employment made its report at the fifth national convention of the Young Women's Christian Association held in Los Angeles, Cal., in May, 1915.

The difficulties of attracting capable women in this field of work were laid to the long hours, lack of independence in arranging recreation hours, lack of opportunities for growth and progress and lack of social standing.

Citizens have acquired a distaste for the conditions which govern household work since the freedom they have experienced in working in munition factories. By standardizing domestic service it is believed by the Young Women's Christian Association that a higher type of worker may be attracted to the necessary work in homes.

The American Y. W. C. A. has opened a Hostess House in Germany, which will serve as a residence house and social center for American women war workers who have advanced to do campaign, Red Cross and Signal Corps work with the Army of Occupation.

WOMEN BEGIN Y. W. C. A. FOREIGN TRADE COURSES

Receiving a sudden call to jobs for American women in South America, the New York City Y. W. C. A. has opened foreign trade courses, including classes in shipping, bill of lading, trade acceptances, tariff, consular invoices, documents, insurance, mail order trade and other lines of international work hitherto left mostly to men. These classes are designed to meet after-war needs.

South America is receiving particular attention as the Y. W. C. A. is informed of new jobs that are opening in the southern continent. Many girls in New York who combine a desire to see the world with a craving for financial independence are registering with the expectation of going there to get positions when their courses in training are completed.



SWENSON TWINS.

The famous Swenson Twins, Ruby and Ruth, two of the shining lights in the great assemblage of young artists of Carolyn Reed's Juvenile Four, who appear on the fourth evening of the Community Chautauqua. The charming twins are presenting a series of pantomime dances, featuring Mother Goose characters, and they make Little Bo-Peep and Little Boy Blue step out of their pages and live before the audience. They also present a clever baseball skit which outshines "Casey at the Bat."



JUVENILE WONDERS.

Kohl, the boy wonder of the violin, who appears with Carolyn Reed and the Juvenile Four on the fourth evening of the Community Chautauqua, has converted both Carolyn Reed and the dainty Fernie Upton, the young soprano, to his instrument, the violin. Kohl is a twelve-year-old genius but recently discovered by a great American musician, but he has advanced so far in such a short time that he is the wonder of all musical critics.

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EAST BETHEL

Mr. Chas. Kimball of Middlebury was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Howe.

Mr. Walter Merrill has received his honorable discharge from the U. S. service and arrived at his home here July 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moody of Turbridge, Vt., are this week's guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester F. Bean, making the trip by auto.

Mrs. F. O. Bean, Mrs. Ella Bartlett, Mrs. C. M. Kimball, Mrs. Proberta Bean, Miss Edna Bartlett, Mr. G. K. Hastings and family and others have season tickets and are attending Community Chautauque for the week. Get Van to do your canning.

RUMFORD POND

T. J. Goddard and family motored to Lancaster, N. H., Sunday.

Geo. Muse and wife, F. O. Kames and wife motored to Newry, Sunday.

Geo. Cushman and Ned Swan of Woodstock went to White Cap, Sunday to pick blueberries.

Lee Thurston has cut the hay on the Colby place.

Kate Blanchard and party motored to Jefferson, N. H., Sunday.

E. M. Knight and Wirt Virgin went to the lakes Sunday to repair a motor boat.

BRYANT'S POND

Rev. E. H. Stover and wife arrived here last week from their home in Arden, N. H. They are staying at Cranston's cottage, the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Freeman.

Freeland Young and wife of Norway are visiting at the home of Mrs. Young's sister, Mrs. Annina Shorn.

Summer services at the Universalist church will commence next Sabbath, July 27. Rev. Chester G. Miller, who has been acting pastor of the parish for a number of years will again conduct the services. Hour of meetings, 2:30 p. m.

Henry Elmeridge and family of Holderness, N. H. have been stopping at the Elmeridge house for a few days. Mr. Elmeridge was employed here back in the 70's in the old Whitman & Libby carriage shop.

The Frank Whitman stand below the Baptist church has been sold to Mrs. Edward Taylor.

John B. Foster, who recently sold his property on the Merrifield Hill road to Fred Davis, will soon move to South Paris, having purchased a house there near the Catholic church.

MIDDLE INTERVALE ROAD

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Stevens are celebrating over the birth of a daughter, born July 14th at Mrs. Abbott's hospital. Miss Alice Arnold of Portland spent several days last week with Miss Molly Stanley, returning home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hysan and four children and Mrs. Hysan's mother, Mrs. Lizzie Jepson, from Indianapolis spent a few days at Ned Carter's last week, coming by auto and making a ten day journey.

Mrs. O. R. Stanley, who has been visiting her daughter for two weeks in Portland, returned home, Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Balentine's father spent a few days with her, recently.

Mrs. Harry Brooks and daughter, Jane, from Massachusetts, are visiting her mother and brother's family.

Mr. Millett of Needham, Mass., is spending a few days at Mrs. E. T. Russell's.

Miss Doris Grever visited Miss Eileen Capen, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Capen were called to Ned Carter's, Sunday.

Mrs. Carey Stevens returned home from Mrs. Abbott's, Sunday, leaving the little daughter with Mrs. Abbott for a few days. Her mother is expected home from Massachusetts this week.

C. A. Capen has bought a nice Ayre's heater of Ned Carter.

Let Van do your canning.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mr. and Mrs. Ray G. Wardwell and son, Arthur, Mr. and Mrs. James Kimball and Cecil Kimball were in Bethel on business, Monday.

Sunday guests at James Kimball's were: Ernest Grever, Roy Good, Charles Kimball, W. B. Oumagata and family.

Ray Lord is cutting Austin Hotchkiss's hay at North Waterford.

A. K. Clark and family were in town, Sunday and attended church.

Moore Martin, wife and granddaughter, Mr. Oliver Martin, are spending a few days with his brother, James Kimball.

Yerna Kimball attended the Circle at Ned's dinner and spent the night with Susan Allen.

Irene Steers and Oliver Ousland called on Yerna Kimball, Thursday.

Lois Kimball and family were Sunday guests at Clarence Hook's in Newry.

Jason Bartlett was through this village recently buying live calves and cows.

Mr. O'Brien was here visiting on the Sabbath, Saturday.

Charles Smith is working for Don Hays of Waterford.

Dennis at Albany Storage Hall, Saturday.

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"VACATION LAND" FOR EVERYBODY

Americans everywhere are invited to make use of the "vacation land" which exists in the national forests. Most of the great woodlands are in the Western States, but some are in the East, so that no section of the country is too distant to share in their benefits. The Forest Service of the United States Department of Agriculture is endeavoring to bring about a full public realization of what the forests offer.

"You will encounter no 'Keep Out' signs on the forests," says one of several booklets issued by the Forest Service. "They are not fenced against the public, but invite your presence and use. The only signs you will find are those which point you on your way or ask your cooperation in preserving the beauty and value of these free recreation grounds and their resources. Firearms are not barred, and hunting and fishing are restricted only by the requirements of the State game laws."

"You are welcome to all the necessary firewood and to forage for your saddle and pack animals; and, so far as possible, the grazing of commercial stock is regulated in such a way as to save an accessible supply of forage for the camper's use. You may camp where you like and stay as long as you please. The Forest Service asks that you look only to the proper sanitation of the camp and that you be careful with fire."

Information on the forests will be furnished to all who apply to the forest supervisors, the district foresters, or to the Forest Service at Washington, D. C.

WEST GREENWOOD

Mrs. Annie Emery is spending a few days at her home on Howe Hill.

Thomas Kennagh, Jr., is helping his father do the haying.

Richard Lawrence spent the week end with George Connor and family.

Mrs. Boyce and children of South Paris visited her sister, Mrs. John Kennagh, a few days of last week.

Grace Dearden was a last week's guest at the home of Ralph Chapman at West Paris.

Miss Gladys Perham, a sophomore at Woodstock High school, visited the Misses Annie and Lillian Cross at their respective homes on Howe Hill, Thursday and Friday of last week.

Lester Swan of Locke's Mills was in town, Sunday.

Miss Nellie Cadigan of Roseland, Mass., the Misses Anna and Katie Driscoll, Miss Beardon and Mr. Murphy, all of Andover, Mass., spent Wednesday night in town with friends and relatives. They motored here Wednesday from their camp at Silver Lake, Huxbury, Maine, where they have been since July 7th. They started Thursday afternoon for their respective homes.

Mrs. Kennagh and son, Thomas, Jr., were out of town callers, Sunday.

Jim Fishery has purchased the grass on the M. H. Lyden meadow.

Mike Kennagh and friends of South Paris called on his mother and brother, Sunday.

The recent callers in town were: Mrs. David Forbes, D. H. Spearria and nephew, Mrs. W. C. Cross, Lillian Cross, Everett Cross, Amos Buck, Herbert Berryman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Murphy motored from Massachusetts, Sunday. They are visiting his mother and uncle at the Hill home.

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HORSES DESERVE PROTECTION FROM FLIES IN HOT WEATHER; SPONGE BATHS HELPFUL

Stable flies are a source of keen annoyance to work animals during the heat of summer. Every owner who has the welfare of the dumb beasts at heart should strive to alleviate as far as possible the discomforts to which the horses are exposed.

The most logical method of abating the fly nuisance is to eliminate all breeding places, such as manure piles. The Bureau of Entomology advises that manure be kept in fly tight pits or bins until such time as it can be hauled to the fields. Pits should be frequently turned so the manure can be easily thrown in at the time of cleaning and so constructed that it can be readily removed. It is essential that flies be prevented from reaching the manure, but, as some of them will, even though great care is exercised, it is advisable to place a fly trap in the pit.

The coal tar sprays used in combating the fly evil in the dairy stable are also efficient in driving the winged pests away from the horses. Among the best of these is a solution of 100 parts of fish oil, 20 parts of oil of tar, and one part of crude carbolic acid. It may be prepared at home at a cost of about 30 cents a gallon. This spray, as well as kerosene emulsion and other fly repellents containing coal tar products, fish oil, rosin, and all of tar, are best applied with an inexpensive spray pump.

It is preferable to give the horses a daily spraying early each morning before they go to work. This brings best results from the use of the fly repellents.

Spring Bath After Work

For the greatest benefit of the work

animals when they come from the field at night it is recommended that after the harness has been removed each animal be given a sponge bath with a solution of cool, salt water. In case there are any work galls or shoulder sores, these injuries should be treated with white lotion, which is one of the most healing and soothing preparations of its kind for use in warm weather. White lotion is composed of a mixture of 6 drams of zinc sulphate (white vitriol), 1 ounce of lead acetate (sugar of lead) and one pint of water. It is efficient in curing wounds, sores, summer galls, and flutula, and should be applied three times daily for best results.

The prevalent sentiment among horsemen is that it is better to house and feed the work horse during the summer than to attempt to run the animals on grass with a scant supply of grain and hay. Grass is not a desirable material to serve as the basis of the work horse ration. The practice of turning work animals out on Sundays to eat grass, to which they are unaccustomed, is a prolific source of colic and other digestive disorders. Generally the animals would be better off in a cool, darkened stable, where they could be carried on half rations of grain during fallow.

Night Grazing Harmful

Where work horses which are fed a full allowance of grain are turned out to graze each night they usually are in poor condition for work next day, as the extra feed they have consumed merely tends to increase the tax on their digestive capacity. However, where the stables are hot and ill ventilated it is preferable to expose the horses to digestive troubles on the pastures rather than to attempt to carry them in the barns.

The feet of work animals should be examined frequently during the summer, in order that accumulations of dirt may be removed. A few moments devoted to scraping out the hoofs each morning and evening will add to the comfort of the beast, as often such foreign materials as nails or stones lodge in the wall or sole of the foot or between the bars and the frog. If the hoofs are excessively dry or brittle, they should be softened with some good oil or hoof oil, and if they are ragged or tend to split, they should be rasped on the edges and trimmed until smooth.

It is advisable to clip horses when the weather warms up in the spring and heavy work begins. When clipped, they work much better, and they do not become chilled after work from having thoroughly soaked the heavy coat of winter hair with perspiration. Horses that are clipped as soon as heavy spring work begins should be blanketed at night.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE

Whereas Mary E. Greely of Oxford in the county of Oxford and State of Maine, by her mortgage deed, dated the twenty-sixth day of June, A. D. 1916, and recorded in the Oxford Registry of Deeds, Book 334, Page 293, and whereas the condition of said mortgage has been broken,

Now, therefore, by reason of the breach of the condition thereof I claim a foreclosure of said mortgage.

MARTHA E. BARTLETT.

SUGAR FORECAST ABOVE AVERAGE

The sugar season of 1919-20 begins with a forecast of production of about 1,100,000 short tons, made by the Bureau of Crop Estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture, or about 75,000 tons more than the average of the preceding six years, during which time the total of the crop crops of beet and cane sugar has slightly exceeded 1,000,000 tons every year except in 1914-15.

The beet sugar forecast for this year is higher than the record crop of 1915-16 by nearly 75,000 tons and is above the average of the preceding six years by about 100,000 tons, but the cane sugar crop of this year is forecast at only 130,000 tons, compared with which is the average of about 254,000 tons of preceding six years. During many years the cane-sugar crop of only 1913-14 has been lower and of only 1912-13 has been nearly so small. The low prospects of this year's crop, at the date of July 1, are due to a wet, cool spring and to a somewhat low average. In recent years cane sugar has usually been about one-quarter of the total of cane and beet sugar produced in the United States, but this year the prospect is that it will be only about one-seventh.

The area planted to sugar beets this year is the largest one on record and, it is estimated, reaches 225,000 acres, or 225,000 acres more than last year and 22,000 acres more than the largest previous area in 1917. The condition of the crop July 1 was low, on account of adverse weather conditions.

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MAINE FAIR DATES

New Belfast Fair, Belfast, Aug. 10, 20, 21.	Machias Valley, Machias, Sept. 9, 10, 11.	Cumberland, Sept. 25, 26.
Bridgton Agricultural Ass'n, Bridgton, Aug. 12, 20, 21.	Orrington, Orrington, Sept. 9, 10.	Richmond Farmers' Club, Richmond, Sept. 30.
Caribou Trotting Park and Fair Ass'n, Caribou, Aug. 19, 20, 21.	North Penobscot, Springfield, Sept. 9, 10, 11.	West Oxford, Fryeburg, Sept. 30, Oct. 1, 2.
Cornish, Cornish, Aug. 20, 27, 28.	Oxford County, South Paris, Sept. 9, 10, 11.	Greene Town Fair Ass'n, Greene, Sept. 30.
Eastern Maine Fair Association, Bangor, Aug. 25, 26, 27, 28, 29.	Eden, Eden, Sept. 10, 11.	Androscoggin County, Livermore Falls, Sept. 30, Oct. 1, 2.
Houlton, Houlton, Aug. 26, 27, 28, 29.	Maine State Agricultural, Lewiston, Sept. 15, 16, 17, 18, 19.	New Gloucester and Danville, Sept. 30, Oct. 2.
South Kennebec, South Windsor, Sept. 1, 2, 3.	North Franklin, Phillips, Sept. 10, 17, 18.	Tranquillity Grange Agricultural Association, Lincolnville, Oct. 2.
Somerset Central, Skowhegan, Sept. 1, 2, 3.	Waldo and Penobscot, Monroe, Sept. 16, 17, 18.	Shapleigh and Acton, Acton, Oct. 7, 8, 9.
Cumberland County, Gorham, Sept. 1, 2, 3.	West Penobscot, Exeter, Sept. 16, 17, 18.	Sagadahoc County, Topsham, Oct. 14, 15, 16.
Androscoggin Valley, Canton, Sept. 2, 3, 4.	North Oxford, Sept. 17, 18.	Lincoln County, Danvers, Oct. 1, 2.
Unity Park Association, Unity, Sept. 3, 4.	Somerset County, Anson, Sept. 10, 20.	Maine State Pomological, Bangor, Nov. 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22.
Northern Maine Fair Ass'n, Presque Isle, Sept. 3, 4, 5, 6.	Bristol, Bristol, Sept. 23, 24, 25.	Maine State Poultry Ass'n, Portland, Dec. 9, 10, 11, 12.
Four County Fair Association, Pittsfield, Sept. 3, 4, 5, 6.	Franklin County, Farmington, Sept. 23, 24, 25.	Bangor Poultry Association, Bangor, Dec. 15 to 18.
Hancock County, Bluehill, Sept. 4, 5, 6.	North Knox, Union, Sept. 23, 24, 25.	Western Maine Poultry Ass'n, Norway, Jan. 6, 7, 8, 1920.
Central Maine Fair Company, Waterville, Sept. 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.	East Somerset, Hartland, Sept. 24, 25.	
	West Washington, Cherryfield, Sept. 24, 25.	
	Cochewaug Agricultural Society, Moulton, Sept. 24.	
	Cumberland Farmers' Club, West	

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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Events of Interest From Washington

By J. E. Jones

"CRACKED HEADS"

Matters have been drifting to a race riot in the National Capital a long time. The proximity to Washington, where the old "Jim Crow" are still in force, may have had something to do with it; for the colored people on the Washington of the Potomac is always the most common. The colored people "ruffed" by the restrictions placed on them in Virginia; and a portion of the Capital residents—particularly whites from the South, and no fault because the "color line" is drawn on the street cars and in public places where the negroes mix with the whites.

During the war the negroes acquired a good deal of prosperity, and some of them bought automobiles and made considerable show of their new rig. At about the same time "bootlegging" became a big industry among the colored people, and great quantities of liquor were stored among them, needed only a half dozen assaults by white women, and the failure of the law to locate the guilty brutes, to take the torch.

The result was that a crowd of dlers, sailors and marines—most of whom were discharged from service spent a pleasant evening "small riggers." Hundreds of young boys were among the white rioters who were locked up. At first these youngsters seemed to think that the serious business in which they were engaged was as much fun as "chasing cows." The colored people were not well prepared for the fray, "cracked heads" multiplied in numbers on white and black shoulders; in the spilling of blood from the skulls of combatants.

As some of the fighting occurred within a block of the White House grounds, it is evident that a good many people in the Capital do not believe twenty of peace was made to affect fighting between the whites and blacks.

These race riots were very foolish performances, but they likewise turned out to be very serious. They have stirred up a bitterness between the white and blacks which will have lasting and unpleasant consequences.

ANOTHER WONDERFUL PUZZLE

The Federal Commission appointed by President Wilson for the purpose of attempting to solve the question what is to be done with the traction systems of the country, has been holding hearings in Washington. The "high cost of living" appears to have incited the traction interests in its universal operations; and for a year or more political scientists have been trying to find methods for meeting the plain conditions of from fifty to one hundred per cent of increased cost of operation by some other remedy than an increase of fares that will be sufficient to keep the juice flowing over trolleys, and the wheels turning round on the tracks. Naturally the answer has not been found in the circuitous trail. The forty-seventh problem of Euclid and the age of Aun are simple in comparison with the puzzle.

PAINFUL PROCESS OF FIXING RATES

For twenty years the mock operation of keeping rates permanent, and making adjustments of railroad difficulties in any way except by changing rates—has been tried on the railroads of the country. Whenever the Interstate Commerce Commission consented, in past years, to a small raise in rates, the process seemed as painful as an operation in surgery. It took a genuine crisis to start the straightening-out process, and when that crisis arrived and the Government took over the roads, the clear-headed Mr. McAdoo reasoned that the two sides of the ledger must come somewhere near balancing. He accordingly raised rates very promptly, in order to make up with the increasing cost of labor and operation. Even at that time by several hundred millions of dollars a year. On top of this the condition is becoming worse, as shown by Director Hiles, whose report for the five months ending May 31, disclosed that in comparison with the same period last year, there has been a net falling off in operating revenues of \$1,411,948. The net loss to the Government in operating the railroads for the single month of May of this year was \$26,511,288.

WINSTING THE HIGH COST OF LIVING

Living, and problems in the war, the